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Bates House.

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THE PATIENT DIED.

Dispensary's Anti-Toxin Case Not Successful After All.

The case of diphtheria that was treated by dispensary physicians with anti-toxin serum Wednesday and was reported to be on a fair road to recovery late Wednesday night, proved fatal at an early hour yesterday morning. In regard to the use of the anti-toxin Dr. C. I. Fletcher has some very pronounced views. He does not take much stock in its efficacy and thinks it should not be depended upon by physicians until its merits are established beyond any doubt. He fears that physicians yond any doubt. He fears that physicians will take the reports of cases, similar to this one, in which good results were at first reported and administer the medicine and do nothing more. He doubts the wisdom of such a course and wants to warn the physicians of the city of its danger. He does not say that he does not believe the serum will do what is claimed for it, but he places it on the ground that it is yet to be thoroughly tested and until that is done it should be handled in an experimental manner and not depended upon for a cure to the exclusion of all other remedies. He favors giving it a fair trial, but at the same time would like to see other remedies used. He has traveled in Europe and has visited the Pasteur Institute, where he has seen the serum made and heard it discussed in all its phases. After seeing all of this he is doubtful and believes that care should be exercised.

Foreign Missions.

The W. F. M. S. of the Indianapolis district west, will meet at Waverly Wednesday and Thursday, Oct. 30 and 31. Miss Peters, who has just returned from China, will be present, and Professor Belle Mansfield, of DePauw University. All persons who desire to attend the meeting will be met at the train at Mooresville if they will notify Mrs. Dora Dresslar, at Waverly. She will also see that everybody is taken care of and entertained.

Housekeeping Linens THE CITY AMBULANCE

BOARD OF HEALTH WILL INVESTI-GATE ALLEGED ABUSES.

Claims of Charges Made by Wagon Driver-Vault Question a Vexations One.

The City Board of Health held a meeting last night and considered several questions of importance to the department. Mayor Taggart was present part of the time. The first thing the board did was to accept the resignation of John A. Lambert, superintendent of the City Dispensary. Dr. Lambert will be succeeded at noon to-day by Dr. Leonard Bell. The board has in cipline at the dispensary. It will also attempt to correct some abuses in the ambulance system. Dr. Morrison said it had been charged that Lee Holtzman, who has charge of the city ambulance work, has been charging for services performed in picking people up from the street. This, he said, was not in accord with the wishes ceived \$50 a month for furnishing a free to come through the dispensary. The contract with Mr. Holtzman expired some months ago, but he has continued to do the work at the old contract price.

of internes at the dispensary charging for services as ambulance surgeon. In one instance a man was attacked with epilepsy at the corner of Illinois and Washington streets. The ambulance was summoned through the dispensary and the man was removed to a house on North Mississippi street. In this case a charge of \$1 was made by the driver of the ambulance, it is claimed. In another case a railway employe was injured in the Union railway yards. He was removed by the ambulance and a few days later a bill for \$2 was sent to A. A. Zion, superintendent of the Union Railway Company. A few weeks ago, it is said, the city ambulance removed a young girl from her home to St. Vincent's wrote the letter so as to make it appear Hospital. She was suffering with typhoid that the \$25 was to be used to "satisfy" the building inspector, while it should have for the service and tendered a \$5 bill—read to "strengthen" the building. men in charge of the ambulance took the

Dr. Morrison said also that he had heard

bill and returned \$3, so it is claimed. The board decided to investigate these charges and if they are found to be true, steps will be taken to stop the practice. The city has a new ambulance, which will be put into use this week. Inside the vehicle will be posted the rules governing the ambulance service. On the outside the words. "Free ambulance" will be painted in bold letters.

The city sanitarian was instructed to make a new ambulance contract with one of the down-town liverymen.

The board discussed a system of abuses which it is charged have been practiced at the City Dispensary. Internes, it is said, have occasionally charged patients for treatment administered at the institution and in some instances have taken money for medicine furnished. The regulations under which the dispensary is operated do not permit charges to be made. Only those who are unable to pay for treatment are presumed to apply at the Only those who are unable to pay for treatment are presumed to apply at the dispensary. The board will also prohibit the dispensary physicians from consulting with women unless the matron is present. Printed rules will be posted on the walls of the institution so that patients who call may ascertain what their rights are. Hereafter an interne detected in the violation of the rules of the board will be dismissed. The new superintendent of the dispensary will be required to have his office in the building.

The board discussed the vault question, which has grown to be a vexatious one. Recently a complaint came to the sanitarian from a man who had built two houses on North street, near Delaware. He complained that on account of the close proximity of two vaults he was unable to rent his property. The board is doubtful if there is any relief for the land-

doubtful if there is any relief for the land-lord, because of the fact that the vaults were in the neighborhood before he erected his houses. However, the advice of the city attorney will be asked.

The custom of the old Board of Health in requiring people sending in complaints of nuisances to sign their names to the com-plaints was abolished by the new board. The members say that this custom stirs up neighborhood strife. They say that when a complaint is sent in it is the busi-ness of the sanitary officers to investigate ness of the sanitary officers to investigate and the board does not care to know who makes the complaint. The sanitary police will be required to wear uniform.

MAYOR AS A TEACHER.

He Instructs His Students in the Science of Political Logic.

Scene-Mayor Taggart's private office Present-The Mayor, Dr. Morrrison, Charles Rogers, a colored man, who acted as the "financial" agent of Mr. Taggart in the Antioch Church neighborhood during the campaign; M. A. Downing, Edward Austin, W. Scott Moore, members of the Board of Works; Thomas J. Morse, Charles laguire and F. J. Mack, members of the Board of Safety; Bart Parker and "Dick" Herrick, clerks to the two boards. The Mayor acts as instructor, and logic is the subject of the class lesson.

Instructor-The subject to-day is to analyze the new method of "Nonpolitical reasons for political discharges." Dr. Morrison will please state what he has learned on this matter, and how, by logic, he can ulate facts in a way to bring about the desired result.

Dr. Morrison-I would fain beg the in- tract until that time.

igence of our honored and wise instructor for a few months longer. It is a fact that I have recently made the wonderful discovery, but in doing so it came upon me so suddenly that I have not yet recovered from the great mental strain it necessitated sufficiently to give any clear and had a support the matter of the methods were and the support to the methods were also as the method were also as the methods were also as the method were also as the methods were also as the method were also as the method were also as the methods were also as the method were also as lucid exposition of the methods used in arriving at the result; in fact, I may as well admit it was done somewhat like the schoolboy guesses at the answer to a diffit problem, but cannot give his reasons any method of solution. It pains me to nake this statement, but I am compelled

Instructor—Probably some member of the class can give an explanation of this logic.

Mr. Maguire—Professor, might it not be charged to the old maxim that "Necessity knows no law?" Dr. Morrison-Happy thought! That is exactly the situation, but I could not think of that easy solution. It was a fact that I deemed certain dismissals in my depart-

ment an absolute necessity, and as "newe may not east the law aside where ne-Instructor—That seems to be good logic, and I cannot see any good reason, political or otherwise, why the maxim, "Necessity knows no law," should not be adopted as the motto of this administra-

tion. All in favor of its adoption will make it known by rising to their feet. The vote was unanimous. Instructor-Well, children, all of you re-

member now that when you are asked how it is possible to give "nonpolitical reasons for political discharges" you are imply to answer "Necessity knows no law." Be careful that you do not attempt to argue the matter, for students just beginning in logic are not fully competent to ell how a certain conclusion is reached. Now, Mr. Rogers, can you tell us how it is possible for a man to be a Democrat and Republican at the same time? Mr. Rogers-Well, no; that is a hard estion to answer.

Instructor-You voted the Democratic Democratic "financial" agent for the Demcratic party in the northwest part of the city during the last campaign, and now you hold a position under the administra-tion as a Republican sanitary officer. Can you not explain that?

Mr. Rogers-I did not reason out the log-ic in this matter. It was sufficient for me that I got a "slice" before the election and was then "recognized" after it. Dr. Morrison is the man that did the reasoninstructor-Dr. Morrison, probably you can enlighten the class on this particular

Dr. Morrison-I think I can. This is free country, and all men have a right to their opinion. It is also a man's inalien-able right to change this opinion as often as he pleases. It is true that Mr. Rogers voted the Democratic ticket and worked for our party. This was before the elec-Repair Broad Ripple Bridge.

The County Commissioners have decided to repair the approaches to the White river wide at Broad Ripple. They are narrow and have long been considered dangerous. The improvements will be made of stone, thich the Commissioners have secured from the Haughville elevator, recently damaged to frequently calling into play our motto.

The last irea Bedsteads.—Wm. L. Elder.

political logic. I could not have done much better myself. I shall reward you by giving you a merit card. Now, children, to-morrow's lesson will be on civil service. I want each of you to thoroughly study Section 45 of the city charter, and be able to tall plainly how under that section Demotell plainly how, under that section, Democrats, and Democrats only, may be employed by the city. As an incentive to study hard I will, as a reward to the faithul, ask the one that gives the plainest Democratic interpretation of this section to prepare a system of civil-service questions hat will insure the selection of Democrats for all positions. You may now go aome, but do not stop on the way to play with Republican boys, for they may teach you bad manners, or at least they might teach you things that would be out of place in a Democratic administration.

MUCH VIM WASTED. Henry D. Pierce and Mr. Pendergast

Have a Wordy War. Henry D. Pierce was before the Board of Works yesterday afternoon in an effort to get it to rescind the action of the former board in condemning a small building owned by him fronting on the first alley west of Pennsylvania street, located between Horace Wood's livery stable and Matz & Matz's saloon. It is a one story there for years, and is now in very bad condition. The effort to have it condemned has been in progress since last summer Building Inspector Pendergast and Mr. Pierce testified before the board and at times their words were anything but friendly. They indulged in many remarks that in a court would have called down the wrath of the presiding judge in the shape of fines for contempt of court. Mr. Pierce presented several letters from architects and builders stating that the building would be safe if repaired as Mr. Pierce proposed to do, while Mr. Pendergast con-tended that it could not be repaired so as to make it safe for occupancy.

During the progress of the proceedings a letter was read which was written by Mr.

Pierce to a blacksmith who was a tenant in the building last August. At that time Mr. Pierce was in the East. The letter contained some remarks which Mr. Pendergast construed to mean that the tenant was authorized to attempt to stop the proceedings by the use of \$25, presumably to be as a bribe to Mr. Pendergast. Mr. Pendergast resented this at the time, and, securing the letter, gave it out for publica-tion. Yesterday Mr. Pierce read a letter that he has since received from the stenographer who took the original letter, in which she says she was inexperienced at the time and in reading her notes she

was raised and Mr. Pierce was asked its assessed value. He could not tell it and Mr. Pendergast asked if it were not a fact that the assessor considered the build- ministers of the city, although he made no ing so worthless that it did not appear on the list at all. Mr. Pierce said he did not think such was the case, but that probably it was included with some adjoining property that he owns. After nearly an hour of wrathful argument the board announced that it would defer its decision

BIDS ON IMPROVEMENTS. Capitol-Avenue Sewer Above Fall

Creek-Asphalt Figures. The Board of Works yesterday received bids on a sewer to be built in North Capitol avenue, from Fall creek to Thirtieth street, distance of 8,092 feet. Bids were received on this work by the old Board of Works in September, but were rejected because it was thought all were too high. At that time W. R. Mercer & Co. were the lowest bidders, at \$4.47 a foot. They made their bid the same this time, but were under bid 2 cents by Browder & Shover. This sewer is made necessary by the contemplated improvement of this street as a boulevard. It is a local sewer, and must be paid for by the abutting property owners. It will be four feet two inches by six feet three inches at the larger end, and two feet eight inches by four feet four inches at the smaller end. The bids received were as follows:

Hege & Sebern, \$5.35; William Bossert, \$5.27; M. M. Defrees, \$4.97; Sheehan Brothers, \$4.83; Gansberg & Roney, \$4.78; Capitol Paving Company, \$4.64; W. R. Mercer & Co., \$4.47; Browder & Shover, \$4.45.

Bids on other improvements were received as follows, all being referred to the city engineer for his report on them:

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For graveling the first alley south of Ohio street, from Highland avenue to Preston street: Henry T. Nolting, 17½ cents; J. H. Roberts, 24 cents; P. E. Phillips, 24% cents.

Levee along Fall creek, from a point 455 feet west of Locke street to a point \$80 feet west: Hege & Sebern-Piling, per foot, 40 cents; lumber, per 1,000 feet, \$35; relaying stone, per cubic yard, \$3; new stone work, per cubic yard, \$5. A. A. McCray-Piling, per foot, 34 cents; lumber, per 1,000 feet, \$28; removing old stone \$1.50 a cubic yard, lay removing old stone, \$1.50 a cubic yard; layng new stone, per cubic yard, \$2.40. Paving with asphalt Ash street, from Lincoln avenue to Seventh street: Warren-Scharf Company, \$4.52; Indiana Bermudez Asphalt Company, \$4.63; Western Paving

Company, \$4.66 and \$4.81. Bids on the improvement of Ash street were received once before, and all were rejected because they were too high. In the present bid the Indiana Bermudez Company is 20 cents lower than before, and the others are each 10 cents lower. This leaves the Warren-Scharf Company in the position of lowest bidder in each instance. A remonstrance was filed against this work by a large number of the property owners. The improvement is for only one block of the street. This is one of the objections urged, as the property owners say the entire street could be improved much cheaper than it can be done one block at a time. It is also urged that the sewer recently built is not yet settled sufficiently, and also that, as the work cannot be done until next spring, it is better to defer the letting of the con-

Central-Avenue Cedar Blocks.

Yesterday morning ex-Councilman Stein complained to the Board of Works that the cedar blocks being used on Central avenue are not of good quality. He had with him a block that was affected with dry rot and contended that 75 per cent, of the Acting Engineer Jeup said he had examined the blocks and had condemned all of the kind that Mr. Stein had picked out and that none such should go into the street. Mr. Stein thought that all the blocks condemned on Meridian street had been hauled to Central avenue. The agitation for a plumbing inspector is being started again. This is a matter

that comes up with the incoming of every new Council. The plumbers of the city, or at least a part of them, want an ordinance passed requiring an inspector, to be appointed by the city, but to be paid for his services in fees from the property owners. A committee has been appointed by the plumbers to draw up such an ordinance and have it presented in the Council. It has always been claimed, heretofore, that such an ordinance would be drawn so as to compel a large number of the smaller plumbing contractors to quit business and this fact has always killed it.

Its Recovery Was Rapid. The street commissioner's department has suddenly recovered from its fright over the lack of funds to carry on the work for the rest of the year. The recovery is probably due to the fact that all the Republicans on

the street gangs have been discharged and Democrats have been found to fill their

places. This morning Commissioner Herpick will begin the work with a full force of Democrats. Municipal Notes. Oscar Pflum was yesterday appointed draughtsman for the city engineer's office

Ex-Controller Trusler is now employed by Attorney-general Ketcham in making some collections in various parts of the State. Complaint is made that the marginal curb next to the street-car tracks on Indiana avenue is nearly two inches higher than the pavement. An electric light was ordered placed at the crossing of Vermont street and the Big Four tracks and one at Talbott ave-

at a salary of \$50 a month.

nue and Sixteenth street. Acting Engineer Jeup yesterday reported that the brick pavement on Clifford avenue, from Newman to Tecumseh street, has been completed and approved by him. A. Kiefer yesterday made complaint to the Board of Works of the condition of the Meridian-street pavement where it joins the brick, at Second street, and the asphalt at Seventh street.

State Printing Contracts. The secretary of the State Printing Board is still engaged in figuring out the bids on the State printing. Those who submitted

estimates are unable to get definite infor-mation as to what the secretary has been instructed to do, and they are very uneasy. The contracts will not be awarded until the return of State Auditor Daily.

THE RECTOR OF CHRIST CHURCH EXPIRES IN MINNEAPOLIS.

His Friends and Family, in This City, Kept in Ignorance of His Condition Till Yesterday.

A telegram was received in this city yesterday afternoon from Minneapolis announcing the death of Rev. John Hilliard Ranger, rector of Christ Church, this city. The news of Mr. Ranger's death was a of three silver certificates. It was the same great surprise to his many friends in this old story. A well-dressed man had stepped city. It was not known until yesterday morning that he was seriously ill. Mr. Ranger was a delegate to the triennial con-Sept. 30 and was taken ill Oct. 14. Word was received here that he was suffering with indigestion, so little anxiety was felt for his recovery. Yesterday morning the vestry of Christ Church learned that, instead of being a little indisposed, Mr. Ranger was in the hospital suffering with pneumonia. Immediate arrangements were made to have Mrs. Ranger leave for the bedside of her husband, but before she could get away news of her husband's death was received. Mr. Ranger died in St. Barnabas Hospital, and it is mentioned as a coincidence that his first charge was St. Barnabas Chapel, New York city.

The friends of the dead rector cannot have done anything to save his life, for he had the best treatment possible, but Mrs. would have gone to Minneapolis had the truth been known. There was a meeting of the vestry last night, at which many regrets were expressed because of the death. The funeral arrangements were considered, but not decided. The body will leave Minneapolis this morning, reaching here to-morrow. It has been suggested that the body be taken immediately to Christ Church, in which Mr. Ranger preached and for which he labored. It is proposed that the body be left there until Monday, when the funeral services will probably be held. Sunday it is proposed to celebrate holy

ministers of the city, although he made no effort to make himself known. He was of a kind and retiring nature and people came to like and love him by association with him. He was not a man who pushed himself forward in church work, but since he assumed the rectorship of Christ Church people have become acquainted with him and taught to appreciate his good qualities. He was a man of whom much good was spoken. He was largely instrumental in having John Hazen White elected bishop of the diocese of Indiana at the special convention last spring, and the bishop and Mr. Ranger were the best of friends. Yesterday Bishop White was on his way to Lima, Ind., to attend a meeting of the trustees of the diocese, when the news of Mr. Ranger's death was received. A telegram was sent to the Bishop and he is now on his way to Minneapolis, to accompany the body

Mr. Ranger was born in Line, Conn., about forty-seven years ago. He was edu-cated at the Sheffield Scientific School, at Yale, and in 1880 he entered the General Theological Seminary at New York, gradu-ating in 1884. He was ordained to a deaconate in Grace Church, New York, in June, 1884, by Bishop Potter. He was advanced to the priesthood Dec. 21, 1884, and at once he became rector of St. Barnabas Chapel, New York city. In a few months he was called to the rectorship of Christ Church,

When Rev. C. A. Bradley resigned as rector of Christ Church, this city, the ves-try extended to Mr. Ranger a unanimous invitation to become rector. In June, 1888, he assumed the rectorship. In a short time he was elected a member of the standing committee of the diocese, of which he has been a member ever since. He has twice represented Indiana in the General Convention of the church. In 1885 Mr. Ranger and Emily Anthon Gillet, of New York city, were married. She, with three chil-

Mr. Ranger has been prominent in the locesan conventions. He took an active part in the special convention called to elect a successor to Bishop Knickerbacker and he nominated and urged the selection of John Hazen White for bishop. Last June Mr. Ranger was elected one of the four clerical delegates to attend the triennial convention at Minneapolis, and while there in performance of his obligations he contracted a severe cold, which resulted in his death. Mrs. Ranger was to have left last night for Minneapolis, and the news which came during the afternoon was a severe blow to her. Mr. Ranger lived with his family at No 21 West First street. The bell in Christ Church was tolled last night.

BASEBALL PROSPECTS.

Manager Watkins Has Not Yet Made a Contract and May Stay Here.

Manager Watkins, of the Western League champion ball team, is again in the city The local management is still trying to retain Mr. Watkins for next season, but there is a possibility that he will go to Columbus or Toledo. He said last night that he did not yet know what he would do; that he had made no contract yet with any one. The Detroit Free Press says of

"With the last two pennants dangling on his belt he was quietly watching a game of pool at the hotel last night, when his reverie was interrupted by the Free Press epresentative. 'Never was a minor league such condition as is our league to-day. he said in response to a question. 'The past two seasons have shown what could be done in this part of the country in the growing cities. The five-year compact insures a fortune for the owner of almost every club, for baseball is no longer run on sentimental lines—it's a business and business men are at the helm. The salaries are adequate and every town in the league can make money if properly handled. Why, they all cleared money this year and some would have done better if the anticipations of the managers had been fulfilled. We did splendidly at Indianapolis, but Indianapolis and Kansas City have an advantage over Detroit and other cities like it. The people have no other place to spend their afternoons and there are few counter attractions in the way of races, such as you have here. But with all the other attractions, the water, the horses and the country roads, Detroit is the best town of all. Mr. Van Derbeck made money, but with a team which could have kept in the fight and which would have played consistent ball he'd have enough to buy

his own park in a short time.'
"'How about yourself for 1896?"
"'Well, I don't know yet. I am not tied down and cannot say just where I will be. I have received four offers from National I have received four offers from National League clubs, but they have not tempted me to leave Indianapolis. You see the success of a club depends upon team work on the field. In order to have team work there must be one head. If the players think a director or president has any say they will go to him and then your team is lost. This is what has hurt some individually strong League clubs. The manders were mapagers in name only. dividually strong League clubs. The managers were managers in name only, I wouldn't handle a club of that sort, because I could not get the best results from the men. Now, in Indianapolis they talk to me or to nobody. There are no medding boards, no new men assuming to know more about baseball than others of years' experience. That is how I had a winning team. A manager should be abof years' experience. That is how I had a winning team. A manager should be absolute or your batteries might as well have no signs. That's a broad statement, but a true one. Did you ever see a team win with no head? I do not care any too much about going into the National League again unless I am made manager in all senses of the word, with no appeal from my doings, no advisory directors. But as I said, I am fancy free and cannot say that I will be here or there.' will be here or there.' "Mr. Watkins says the clubs will be strong this coming season. Nearly all of them have enough men now to start with and good young players have been corralled. He expects to see Indianapolis in the thickest of the fight and would like to see Detroit in the front row."

Portfolio Club Programme. The Portfolio Club programme for 1896-6. ust issued, is artistic in style, in keeping

with the taste and character of the club, It

is printed in beautiful "old English" type

little book thus becomes a valuable souvenir as well as a record of the year's work. This record was published in the Journal some weeks ago from advance sheets.

AN ENVELOPE CHANGE RACKET.

A. D. Haines, a Candy Merchant, Victimized to the Extent of \$30.

A. D. Haines, a candy merchant at No. 70 Indiana avenue, called at the police station last night to have an envelope opened which a stranger had left at his store. The envelope bore the address of William Burk, Wabash, Ind. It was found to contain a blank piece of paper, and three pieces of paper so folded as to bear the appearance into Haines's store in his absence and asked the young lady clerk to let him have three ten-dollar bills for some silver, which he placed on the counter, stating that he wished to send the money away, at the same time drawing an addressed envelope from his pocket. The young lady complied, but on counting the money found it to be \$4 short. She called the attention of the stranger, who had apparently placed the paper money in the envelope and sealed it. He was very much astonished, and placing the change and left the store to secure the remainder, so he said. But he never returned, and Mr. Haines is \$30 short in his accounts. The stranger had not put the bills in the envelope, but took them and the

BICYCLERS, BEWARE.

New Ordinance Is in Effect and Police Have Orders to Enforce It.

In reply to an inquiry sent to City Attorunderstand why they were kept in ignor- ney Curtis Superintendent of Police Colbert ance of his true condition. They could not | yesterday received a letter stating that the bicycle ordinance has been in force since Oct. 16, when it was published for the last time. Accordingly Superintendent Colbert issued orders last night that hereafter the days will be allowed wheelmen who have not been aware that the ordinance is in force for the equipment of their wheels with lanterns and bells, but after that time all bicyclers found without them will promptly be arrested. The ordinance requires that wheelmen must not ride at a rate exceeding ten miles an hour within the city limits, that all wheels must be equipped with a bell, and, after sundown, with a lighted lantern.

IMPROVEMENTS TO THE EMPIRE.

Delaware-Street Addition to Be Built This Year.

James Fennessy and Manager Hueck, of Cincinnati, were in the city yesterday, considering the construction of an important addition to the Empire Theater. It is proposed to erect an addition to the building on the vacant ground which adjoins it and faces on Delaware street. The style of the new addition has not been definitely determined, but it will probably have a front of three stories, with an arcade inclosure. An architect has been consulted concerning the improvement, which will give the theater two entrances—the present one on Wabash street and a new one on Delaware. Work on the new addition will begin this

MIXED WITH THE CAR.

George Flowers's Wagon Struck and He Narrowly Escapes Death.

George Flowers, of No. 33 Garden street, attempted to drive across the street-car track in front of a car at the corner of Virginia avenue and Louisiana street, yesterday afternoon, about 4 o'clock, and his vagon was struck by the car. He was thrown from the seat of the wagon and the hind wheel of the vehicle passed over his body just below the shoulders. He fell on the track, but the fender of the car threw him aside. He was taken to his home by the city ambulance and physicians from the City Dispensary attended him. There were no marks on the hear him. There were no marks on the body, and unless he proves to be injured internally he will recover speedily.

Four Fires Yesterday. A small fire caused \$10 damage in Albert Keller's restaurant, 409 East Washington street, yesterday morning.

The fire department was called to the house at 100 South Senate avenue occupied by Mrs. Sherman, where a lace curtain was on fire, yesterday afternoon. The loss was insignificant. Thomas McClintock's house, 1775 North Capitol avenue, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The loss was esti-mated at \$500. A defective flue caused a slight fire in the double house at Nos. 158-180 Michigan avenue last night. The house is owned by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and occupied by Messrs. Taylor and Woodfork. The loss was \$25.

An Appeal from Judge Baker. The appeal from the decision of Judge Baker against the Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railway was pregented to the United States Court of Appeals yesterday by Lawrence Maxwell, jr., ex-Solicitor-general of the United States. The old Columbia & Indiana Central was the original owner of the road, and Charles R. Lynde is the owner of \$25,000 of its bonds. Judge Baker gave him judgment on his securities, and now an appeal is asked, the present corporation contending that it is not responsible for the bonds of the former company.

Illindio Kennel Club Officers. At a meeting of the Illindio Kennel Club last night at Harry Tutewiler's office on West Market street the following officers were elected: President, Harry S. New; vice president, Thomas Taggart; secretary, Harry F. Hildebrand; treasurer, Joseph H. Becker; veterinarian, L. A. Greiner; press agent, Hervey. S. Humphrey; superintendent, P. T. Madison; steward, Robert M. Riley; bench show committee, Horace Wood, Frank Samuels, Gus Craft, Clarence Foster, Frank D. Norviel, Louis C. O'Brien.

Changes in Police Districts. The police districts of the city have been rearranged by Superintendent Colbert, the new districts to go into effect the first of next month. Under the new arrangement there will be twenty-six districts instead of the present twenty-one. Many of them will remain as they have been, but some have been materially changed. Each of the six officers stationed on the down-town cor-ners will also have numbers and will be required to report the same as the dis-trict men.

Herealean Club Officers. The election of officers of the Herculean Club last night resulted in the selection of the following officers: President, Morris F. White; first vice president, Thomas Pratt; secretary, Joseph H. Ward; assistant secretary, Harry Cooper; treasurer, Robert Walker. Board of directors—Joseph H. Broyles, Joseph Patterson, James Shelton, William C. Brown, Sumner Furnas and Wayne Davidson. Sergeant-at-arms, John

Held by the Firemen. Two men giving the names of Thomas McClane and John Winston, it is said, entered the house of J. W. Swier, a grocer on East Washington street, and stole a rug yesterday morning. They were seen and some of the firemen at No. 8's engine company, near-by, held them until detectives Kinney and Richards arrived and took them in charge.

Local Populism in Last Throes. Edgar A. Perkins, who has been a leadng spirit among city Populists, has renounced the faith and will return to Democracy. Pobert E. Groff, it is said, has also become disgusted with the party, and has made up his mind to leave it. Populism as a political factor in this city is dead, according to admission of the party leaders.

The When's Wood Turner.

In one of the windows at the When is a jecidedly novel exhibition, which attracts housands of curious people daily. It is a turning lathe, operated by an electric motor, and on which Oscar Markum, formerly instructor in turning in the Training School at Wilne, Russia, turns rolling pins, pedestals, table legs, toys and many odd conceits. Mr. Markum is an artist with his chiscle and lathe, and his definess and skill are greatly admired. on heavy calendered paper, with wide mar-gins, and in addition to a special design on the cover contains three original illustra-tions from drawings by Mr. Forsyth, Miss

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